

**RUSHVILLE CITY BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS AND SAFETY  
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2006  
5:30 P.M.**

The Rushville City Board of Public Works and Safety met on the above date and time at 270 West 15<sup>th</sup> Street, Rushville, Indiana. Mayor Bridges called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m., with Chris Fields and Mike Pavey answering roll call. Also present were City Attorney, Tracy Newhouse, and Frank Denzler, *Rushville Republican*.

**MINUTES \* \* \***

Minutes of the February 7, 2006, meeting were presented for approval. Fields made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Pavey seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**MAYOR'S REPORT \* \* \***

None.

**CLERK-TREASURER'S REPORT \* \* \***

None.

**DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS \* \* \***

None.

**CITIZEN CONCERNS \* \* \***

None.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS \* \* \***

**Job Descriptions** – Fudge said he and Fields have been reviewing the job descriptions for the Police Department and are satisfied with what they have. Fields moved to approve the job descriptions for the Police Department contingent upon approval by the City Attorney. Pavey seconded the motion. Motion carried. Fudge said he would like to promote Communication Officer John Wall to the position of sergeant as of this pay period. Fields made a motion to promote Wall to the position of Sergeant as of this pay period. Pavey seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**Drug Testing Policy for City Employees** – Fudge has been getting information regarding city wide drug testing. He is still waiting on quotes for quarterly testing.

**Police Department Hiring Update** – Fudge said he has had 13 applicants. They are planning on having testing for 7 candidates on Saturday.

**NEW BUSINESS \* \* \***

**Police Department Physical Fitness Exam** – Fudge said he is getting quotes and he has money in his budget.

**Hawks Group Lease Renewal** – Fields made a motion to approve the lease agreement for the receptacles. Pavey seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**Request for Short Term Disability** – Dean Fish is requesting approval for short term disability after sustaining an accident. Fish has exhausted all of his sick/personal days and vacation days. A note was received from the doctor stating that he was not yet able to return to work and will be re-evaluated on a regular basis. Fields made a motion to approve the short term disability for a period of 30 days. Pavey seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**Billboard Notification** – Newhouse sent a letter to Porter Signs regarding the removal of the billboards. Proof of service has been received.

There was no further business to come before the Board, Pavey made a motion to adjourn. Fields seconded the motion. The meeting adjourned at 5:55 p.m.

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ROBERT M. BRIDGES, MAYOR

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CHRISTOPHER S. FIELDS, MEMBER

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MICHAEL P. PAVEY, MEMBER

ATTEST:

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ANN L. COPLEY, CLERK-TREASURER

